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Applicants wish to bring the references noted on the enclosed PTO-1449 to the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office.

An Office Action on the merits was first mailed in this case July 3, 2001.

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The Randle reference noted in the search report is believed to have been previously submitted in this application. For this reason, this reference is not included in this submission.

¹ 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e)(1).

All of the cited references are in the English language, and as such no separate statement of relevance thereof is provided herewith.

The English language PCT search report for the counterpart case is enclosed herewith for the benefit of the Patent and Trademark Office.

Consideration of these references in the prosecution of the above-referenced application is respectfully requested.

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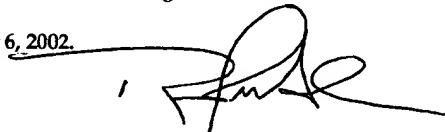
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